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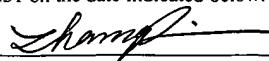
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In re Application of: J. Christopher Flaherty, et al.  
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- 1) Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement;
- 2) Form PTO-A820 (also form PTO-1449);
- 3) Cited References; and
- 4) Acknowledgment Postcard.

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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, Applicants hereby submit an information disclosure statement with information cited on the attached form PTO-1449. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(d), full copies of the cited references are enclosed.

This Statement is being filed after the receipt of a first Office action but before the mailing of a final Office action from the Patent and Trademark Office. Applicant certifies under § 1.97 (e)(1) that each item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign Patent Office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this Statement. No fee is required.

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